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I N T E L L I G E N C E A D V I S O R Y C O M M I T T E E

MEMORANDUM FOR: Members of the Intelligence Advisory Committee

SUBJECT : Elimination of NSCID No. 15

REFERENCE : IAC-D-105/15 dated 24 October 1957

1. On 13 October 1957 the Economic Intelligence Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Chairman of the EIC that NSCID 15 can be properly eliminated in the light of present redrafts of NSCIDs 1, 2 and 3, provided that a brief additional paragraph be added to the present draft of NSCID 1. These recommendations have been considered at several meetings of the Ad Hoc Working Group for Revision of NSCIDs, which recommends the following text for this purpose, to be inserted as a new paragraph following paragraph 10 of the 4 June 1957 draft of NSCID 1:

The Director of Central Intelligence in consultation with and supported by the Intelligence Advisory Committee agencies shall call upon the departments and agencies, as appropriate, to ensure that on intelligence issues affecting the national security the intelligence community is supported by the full knowledge and technical talent available in the Government and to ensure that the pertinence, extent, and quality of the available foreign intelligence and intelligence information relating to the national security is continually reviewed as a basis for improving the quality of intelligence and the correction of deficiencies.

2. The Chairman of the Economic Intelligence Committee has concurred in this slightly modified wording of the EIC's original recommendation. The elimination of NSCID 15 and its replacement by insertion of the above paragraph in NSCID 1 will be on the IAC agenda for the meeting of 7 January 1958.

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